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## NEW STREET COST \$2308

PARK AVE. TO REACH CENTRAL

Board of Appraisers Makes Report to City Trustees on Costs and Damages

Final reports were received by the city trustees last night from the board of appraisers appointed to conduct the condemnation proceedings for the opening of Park Avenue through from Starpaseo to Sunnyside. The total cost is set at \$2,000,000, to be paid by owners of property in the assessment district named in the original ordinance ordering the condemnation proceedings.

Assessors, G. D. Brunner, H. E. C. Webb and Carroll J. Reger were the appraisers and their report is quite lengthy, reciting quite fully the manner of procedure adopted, including the examination of witnesses under oath as to the value of land in the vicinity, it enumerates the amounts to be paid for the several parcels of property required for street purposes, with the damages where any are incurred. Further tabulation is made of the amount to be assessed against each parcel of property in the assessment district, expenses are enumerated and a map of the whole district accompanies the report.

Land is to be acquired from the following persons for the street opening, its value and the damages where any were round being as follows:

C. C. Nourse, land, \$134.28; damage to improvements, \$290; total, \$334.28.

J. T. Thrall, land, \$65.72.

Alice Brugman, land, \$600; damages, \$100, total, \$610.

L. E. Steinberger, land, \$15.50.

Total for land and damages, \$1790.50.

The assessment list is too long for publication here, but was made up on a frontage basis according to the proportional benefit derived by each piece of property. The district is, roughly speaking, that lying between Central and Live Oak Avenues and extending half way to Lima Street on the east and half way to Sunnyside on the west, all of which will be benefited.

Expenses of the proceedings are placed at \$518.10, making slight allowance for unexpected expense. This amount added to the \$1790.50 brings the total to \$2,318.60.

### To Regulate Street Repairs

An ordinance was introduced providing for the relaying of streets which have been torn up for the laying of pipes or other purposes. It requires a deposit in advance before a permit is issued, the work of backfilling and resurfacing to be done by the street superintendent and paid for out of the deposit.

The election ordinance was introduced and referred to the ordinance committee, it being required to await the next meeting for final action.

### To Improve City Entrances

At the request of Street Superintendent Udell the trustees authorized the grading, surface oiling and graveling of Sierra Madre Avenue from Central to Live Oak, and of Live Oak from Sunnyside to Sierra Madre.

It was decided to retain the services of Night Watchman Coburn under the present arrangement for an indefinite time.

### HUNTINGTON DRIVE COMMITTEE

The following have been appointed by President Tarr as the Board of Trade committee to further the project of extending Huntington Drive all the way to Sierra Madre along the Pacific Electric right of way:

C. H. Baker, E. F. Ballou, E. W. Camp, Sierra Madre; F. R. Kellogg, Douglas Bldg., Los Angeles; Fred M. Wilcox, Geo. H. Woodruff, Jas. P. Vosburgh, F. J. Hart, Sierra Madre Villa; S. Hazard Halstead, president Pasadena Ice Co.; Rev. W. H. Hannaford, C. W. Jones, Justin Kraft, J. W. Keys, C. S. Kersting, W. J. Lawless, Jay M. Love, A. S. Mead, A. H. Udell, J. H. Wright, Sierra Madre; F. B. Ross, Mt. Wilson.

### TROUT SEASON APPROACHES

Next Tuesday marks the opening of the trout season in the mountain streams. The usual trekking of anglers over the mountain trails is due to begin about Saturday to afford plenty of time to get good camp sites. Of course if the rangers cannot be everywhere at once it is not unlikely there will be a few flies dropped into the streams in advance of the first, not to tempt the fish but just to see if reels and things are working right. The fish know better than to bite out of season.

Mrs. Mary A. Flint, mother of H. G. Flint, passed away at Long Beach last Saturday at the age of sixty-five. Funeral services were held on Monday in Pasadena where she formerly resided. The services were conducted by Rev. Frank Stevens, pastor of the church to which she belonged, the remains being laid to rest in Pasadena. During the years of her active life Mrs. Flint had been an active and devoted worker in religious and temperance organizations. She had traveled a great deal, but had regarded California as her home for about twenty years. Mr. Flint was her only child.

## \$50 FOR BAD TALK RECITAL RARE TREAT

DR. HATFIELD IS GIVEN SUSPENDED SENTENCE DURING GOOD BEHAVIOR

MISSSES STEVENSON AND COFFEE GIVE ENJOYABLE PROGRAM IN CLUB HOUSE

Business was almost suspended on Wednesday during the trial of W. F. Hatfield on a charge of disturbing the peace by the use of profane and indecent language in the presence of women and offensive and threatening conduct. The complaining witness was A. S. Mead. After the verdict of guilty had been returned to the jury recorder Perry imposed a fine of \$50, to be suspended during good behavior. He said he took that course rather with view to aiding the defendant to control his tongue than for the purpose of punishment.

Witnesses were introduced by Mr. Mead to testify to the language used toward him by Dr. Hatfield last Saturday morning. E. N. Mead and J. F. Sullivan quoted language which if printed would keep a paper from the hands, also to the presence of Mrs. Sullivan. Dr. Hatfield admitted the use of the language but said he did not regard it as particularly strong and denied knowledge of the presence of women within hearing.

The testimony was followed by lengthy addresses to the jury by complainant and defendant. Mr. Mead demanded a verdict of guilty as a measure of protection to the public from outbursts which he said past events had shown might be expected at any time. Dr. Hatfield reviewed some of the history of his relations with Mr. Mead in which he sought to show the latter had so wronged and annoyed him that he thought he had sufficient provocation for the language used. Mr. Mead replied that he had papers in his possession which would clearly disprove these charges. He asked the jury for a verdict in accordance with the evidence, and requested the court to put the defendant under bond to keep the peace if found guilty.

The program was pleasantly varied with a number of readings by Miss Elinor Coffeen of Pasadena, also a former resident of Sierra Madre. Her selections, especially those of a humorous nature, received unstinted applause.

### BENEFIT FOR THE SUFFERERS

Proceeds from the picture play and a musical program to be given in the club house next Thursday evening will go to the tornado and flood sufferers in the east. The motion pictures will be a three-reel subject, "At Napoleon's Command," with two single reels. Special musical numbers of unusual merit will be given. Mr. W. H. Richardson, who has not sung in Sierra Madre for some time, will doubtless be heard with pleasure. Frank Hart accompanying him, Miss Cook and Mrs. Hawkhurst will sing, accompanied by Miss Hill. Herbert Ingraham will play the cello with accompaniment by Mrs. G. Hallett Johnson. It is hoped a male quartet will also sing. Further announcement will be made in the post office and at the club house.

Admission charge for this entertainment will be 20 cents on main floor and 30 cents on platform. No reduction for children, but to accommodate the children the afternoon play will be given at the usual price.

### ELECTION NEXT FRIDAY

Don't forget the school election next Friday, April 4. The duty of choosing school trustees is one of the most important falling to the lot of the voters, but it is likewise one of the most frequently neglected. So far nothing in the shape of a campaign has developed, but the most exciting campaigns of recent years have been worked up on short notice. At any rate it is well that as many voters as possible go to the polls so as to be able to vote for the best candidate who may be offered.

### FEED & FUN CLUB DOINGS

Whispers are heard of a big time in store for the Feed & Fun Club, which will meet at the close of the stated meeting of Sierra Madre Lodge, F. & A. M. next Tuesday evening. It will be in the nature of an anniversary celebration, with music, talk of various kinds, and something to eat, if reports can be believed. A cordial invitation is extended to all Masons residing in Sierra Madre to be present.

### CONGREGATIONAL SERVICES

The sermon at the Congregational Church next Sunday morning will be delivered by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Hannaford, on the subject, "After Easter What?" It will be the concluding sermon of the series which began with Lent.

### HOME OF TRUTH

"The Golden Age" is the subject of the discourse to be given on Sunday at three-thirty at the Home of Truth, 493 Auburn avenue, Harriet C. Hamor conducting the service. Everyone is cordially invited to be present at these meetings. Sunday School at 2 o'clock.

### EPISCOPAL SERVICES

Church of the Ascension, the Rev. Dr. George H. Cornell, rector. Vested choir, First Sunday after Easter. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a.m. Lecture on confirmation, 4:30 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### BASEBALL BENEFIT

Captain Eli, known as the "Nautical Humorist," will deliver his lecture on "Capturing the Leviathan," in the public school house next Monday evening, March 31, at 8 o'clock. The profits will go to the boys' baseball team of the school for the purchase of equipment. Admission, 25 cents; school children, 10 cents.

R. G. Peterson returns tomorrow to his home in Portland after having spent some time here as a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Howard H.



MT. WILSON HOTEL IN WINTER

## HOTEL WILL BE REBUILT

### MT. WILSON HOTEL IS DESTROYED

Spectacular Fire Seen From All Over San Gabriel Valley Tuesday Evening

Fire completely destroyed the main building of Mount Wilson Hotel Tuesday evening between seven and eight o'clock. The loss was about \$20,000, partially covered by insurance. Announcement has already been made that the Mount Wilson Hotel Company will rebuild at once. The new building will follow the old plan, but concrete construction will be used.

First warning of the fire in Sierra Madre was the bright glow above Mount Harvard and the lower hills which hide Mount Wilson from local view. Telephone inquiry at Pasadena only revealed the fact that the fire was ready on Mount Wilson and all wires were down. The blaze was most spectacular, being visible all over the San Gabriel Valley and long distance calls began to come into Sierra Madre asking what was burning on Mount Wilson. Many seemed to think some of the observatory buildings might be afire or in danger.

Assistant Manager Clayton Crawford told of the fire as follows:

### Starts in Waitress' Room

"The blaze started in the room of Vera Chishman, one of the waitresses. It is believed that it started from an overheated stove. Within five minutes the entire building was a mass of flames. We did not have time to save anything. Books, records, the hotel register and all the mail and postoffice supplies went up in smoke. The fire was so intense that we were unable to enter the building after the first alarm came."

"George Galloz of the hotel staff discovered the fire. His cries sent us scurrying about to send everyone out of the building. Mrs. Ross, Frances and the baby were taken care of immediately."

"While we tried to fight the fire we were as powerless as children, for water would not do anything to check the flames. A tank of crude oil, used for fuel, standing near the kitchen, burned, but did not add an explosion to our terrors."

### Observatory Not in Danger

At no time during the blaze were the buildings of the Carnegie Solar Observatory in danger. None of the cottages surrounding the main hotel buildings were damaged, no one was injured and there were no narrow escapes. Hotel employees, guests and men from the observatory worked hard to prevent the spread of the flames to the cottages surrounding the hotel building proper and succeeded.

None of the guests of the hotel started down the mountain that night. There was plenty of accommodation for them in the cottages; in fact no guests had rooms in the hotel proper, being housed in the cottages surrounding the building. They took their meals Wednesday with members of the observatory staff, who also have bungalows on the mountain top.

### Manager Absent

Manager F. B. Ross was in Los Angeles at the time of the fire and did not know of the disaster till the hotel building was a heap of ruins. He went to the peak on an auto stage next morning, taking with him supplies for the guests and servants who are in the cottages.

Manager Ross announced that the casino will be fitted up as a temporary hotel until the Pasadena and Mount Wilson Stage Line and Hotel Company, owners of the building, can rebuild.

W. R. Staats, secretary and treasurer of the company, said a new hotel will be built on the site of the destroyed building as early as possible. He placed the loss at between \$15,000 and \$20,000, insured for about \$8,000.

The burned building was one of the most remarkable in Southern California if only for the fact that most of the lumber used in its construction was taken up the mountain on the backs of burros. It has been visited by thousands of people from all parts of the United States as well as Canada and the old world, most of whom have passed through Sierra Madre on the trip.

The officers of the Pasadena and Mount Wilson Stage Line and Hotel Company, owners of the burned building, are John H. Holmes, president; W. S. Wright, vice president; William R. Staats, secretary and treasurer. The company has had to combat many difficulties and to overcome many obstacles. The loss of the hotel will not be allowed to interfere with its progressive policy in the way of maintaining the Mount Wilson resort as one of the most attractive in the country.

The Sierra Madre Dickens Fellowship were entertained on Wednesday afternoon in Los Angeles by the Los Angeles Fellowship at the Gamut Club.

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## Brief Items of Interest

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bentham of La Jolla were visiting friends here this week.

Miss Elinor Coffeen of Pasadena was the guest on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. D. Hawks.

George Humphries leaves today for Oceanside where he expects to remain a short time on business.

Miss Lisle Smith and Miss Carrie Davidge spent the week-end in Riverside at the Glenwood Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caley and the Misses Caley were luncheon guests on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Kenyon Warren in Pasadena.

Mrs. Hilda M. Smith has returned to her home in Los Angeles after spending several weeks at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Morganridge.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welsher and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jelley, spent Wednesday and Thursday—enjoying an outing at Avalon, Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Allen and daughter, Miss Margaret Allen, spent a pleasant week-end in Long Beach, where they stayed at the Hotel Virginia.

On Tuesday evening Miss Tillie Nuetzel entertained the Eleven and One Club at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Nuetzel. A pleasant evening was spent.

Herbert Ingram returned Thursday from Cheyenne, Wyo., where he has spent several months visiting and enjoying life as a newspaper editor in the "far west."

Miss T. H. Graham and Miss Ida Munsell were delegates of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club at the Badger Musical Club which was held Wednesday evening at the Gamut Club in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hallett Johnson entertained on Thursday evening at their home with a Spanish dinner. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lawless, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Camp.

Frank Cavanaugh of New York City has been paying a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cavanaugh, while on a business trip to the southwest. Mr. Cavanaugh is general sales manager for the American Meter Company.

The Misses Blumer and Lottie Humphries and Messrs. Harold Davenes and George Bourke were among the guests present on Monday evening at a five hundred party given by the Misses Scott at their home on Bellevue Drive, Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hull have moved into their handsome new bungalow on Santa Anita Court. This bungalow is built of hollow tile and Monterey cement and is one of the most distinctive in appearance of those recently built in Sierra Madre.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hopkins have returned from San Diego after a year's absence and are now occupying their bungalow on Santa Anita Court. Mr. Hopkins is chief engineer for the Westinghouse Electric Company, with headquarters in Los Angeles.

Rev. W. H. Hannaford joined a company of Congregational ministers numbering more than a score, in a quiet rest and conference at Avalon, Catalina Island, where Rev. Dr. J. M. Campbell is pastor of the church. They were expected to remain from Monday until today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hull and Miss Cora Hull left last week for their home in Saline, Mich., after spending the winter in California with their sons, W. S. Hull of Sierra Madre and M. W. Hull of Los Angeles. Mr. Hull, Senior, expects to return to Sierra Madre to make his home.

Miss Annie Coffey has received news of the safety of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baldwin of Omaha. Their home which was constructed of brick and sandstone was completely destroyed, the loss being estimated at \$30,000. They will be remembered as having visited Miss Coffey some time ago.

Alfred D. Cridge, secretary of the California Single Tax League, was a guest Sunday of Mrs. Sarah J. Gill of Miramar Avenue. Mr. Cridge has a different way of presenting the subject than the ordinary single tax advocate and it is said that a lecture by him on the subject might easily be arranged in Sierra Madre.

Mrs. E. E. Hanna of 83 N. Sunnyside Avenue, passed away on March 23 at the Long Beach Sanitarium, aged 75 years. She was the mother of seven children, two of whom are living. Mrs. E. R. Gamble of North Dakota and Mrs. M. A. McDonald of Sierra Madre. Funeral services will be held in the chapel at Mountain View Cemetery, Pasadena, at one o'clock on Monday, March 31. Friends are invited to attend.

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**R. E. MAHER PASSES**

Robert Emmett Maher passed away Thursday forenoon after an illness extending over several years. He had been a patient sufferer and the news of his passing brought deep sorrow to his many friends who however, had known that his life hung by a very slender thread.

Mrs. Howard Hill spent a few days this week in San Bernardino visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. G. H. Seager.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Camp entertained Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Bentham on Thursday at the California Club, Los Angeles.

The Easter music will be repeated Sunday at the Church of the Ascension by a vested choir and Miss Janet Stevenson will be the soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Camp were guests last week at an elaborate anniversary dinner given at the California Club by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wells Stevenson will be the soloist.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Camp were

known to his friends for his fine grained character and will be sadly missed by them.

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"But how many people who know of the picturesqueness of the citrus groves in Sunny California also know about a 'slush fund' of \$200,000 a year maintained by the Lemon Trust of Italy to smash the system of co-operation that sustains those fair citrus groves of the Southwest," writes Miss Agnes C. Laut in April issue of Sunset Magazine. She then goes on to prove that tariff revision may hand Americans a lemon and a foreign one at that, and she shows why the California Citrus League is being libeled at a "trust" in the interest of the real thing in Italy. Incidentally, the color illustrations to her article ought to make the ranknest free trader hesitate to blight the beauty of these American landscapes, to say nothing of placing in the hands of unscrupulous brokers in New York the power to kill our own industry and then advance prices on the greatly needed citrus fruits until they will practically be prohibitive as far as the greater proportion of American consumers is concerned.

It is, of course, the hope of every citrus grower that the combined efforts being exerted in favor of continuing unmolested the tariff on citrus imports will win, but until the danger point is passed unbroken vigilance must be maintained. The consumer must be educated. He must be shown that the healthful orange and the absolutely necessary lemon will undoubtedly be denied him and his family in times of dire necessity if the supply is given over into the hands of the lemon trust of Italy. Every loyal Californian should read Miss Laut's article and pass it on to Eastern friends and relatives with the request that they "get busy."

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### Editorial Chat

#### Patronize the Benefit

While definite information regarding the great eastern flood catastrophe is very meagre, enough is known to stagger one. The appalling loss of life and subsequent suffering make a direct appeal to the hearts and purses of the whole country. The ladies have kindly offered the proceeds of next Thursday evening's entertainment to the relief fund. Let the contribution be made worth while. Tickets will be 20 and 30 cents. It is to be hoped not many people will wait for change when purchasing.

#### Thanks for the Compliment

This week's "black hand" letter brings me the cheering message from its writers: "We will get you and Get YOU GOOD." Possibly the implied compliment was not intentional, but I could not resist the temptation to post the letter in the window for the information of those people who insist there is no such animal as a good editor.

#### A Great Philanthropist

William C. Thorne, vice president of Montgomery Ward & Co., of mail order fame, told the Illinois vice commission a girl "adrift" in Chicago could live on \$8 a week. To prove it he offered the following schedule of expenditures: Breakfast of coffee and rolls, 40 cents—that would be seven at five cents and an extra five-cent blowout on one morning; luncheons 90 cents—that would provide six at 10 cents with the possibility of inviting a friend one day to a fifteen-cent feast; dinners \$1.40—seven of 'em at 20 cents each; room rent \$3—presumably with all conveniences; car fare 60 cents—that would allow the girl to ride or from work six days a week; clothing and incidentals \$1.70—anything left of that \$88.40 yearly after paying for clothing and absolute necessities would certainly be very incidental. I never

knew before what a charitable institution that Montgomery Ward concern was. Why not close up all the retail stores in town and buy from them so they will have to hire more help at these munificent wages?

#### International Peace

It did me good Monday evening to hear Dr. William Carter advocate an international peace plan for which I have argued a long time, namely, the maintenance of an international police army under neutral control. Not over a month ago I proposed it in an argument with my militant friend, Dr. Krebs. I hope he has been led to see the fallacy of militarism through the oratory and ardor of his distinguished relative.

#### Industrial Warfare

In speaking of industrial warfare Dr. Carter overlooked one important point. His references to dynamite and strike violence might have conveyed the impression that industrial warfare is waged by workers only. Recent public investigation into the relation between low wages, vice and the living conditions of workers show that the most pitiless and relentless warfare is not waged by workers but by employers. It is not true that while the rich grow richer the poor grow poorer. In truth, while there seems to be no limit on accumulation by the rich, these recent revelations have shown clearly that there is a limit beyond which the poor cannot grow poorer—starvation or some worse death. Now apologists both for the dynamiter and the guilty employer use the same plea—that the individual is not responsible, being the helpless instrument of an economic system over which he has no control. Whether we grant this point or not I cannot avoid the conclusion that the industrial warfare will continue just as long as the distribution of the fruits of industry are so unequal as they now are.

#### Where Arbitration Fails

Arbitration is a grand good thing and I rejoice at every advance in its application. In international affairs it will be the basis of the first effective peace program, when backed up by an international police force such as is referred to above. But in industrial affairs its limitations should not be forgotten. Arbitration cures nothing. It is a remedy for local application only. Its results are only temporary. It merely alleviates the present discomfort and surface indications of the disease which is deep seated in the industrial system. For that is all strikes and

lockouts and the accompanying loss of life and money are—just surface indications of deeper disorders. To be sure the hundreds of lives and millions of money which are lost annually by workers and employers are worth saving. That is why every advance of arbitration should be welcomed. But to regard arbitration as a final cure is like trying to cure blood poison by relieving an itching of the skin. It is all right to make the patient comfortable while the deeper remedy is applied. That is just about what arbitration accomplishes in the industrial warfare.

Why should there be an industrial conflict? Why the unending clash of class against class? Why should there constantly be disputes to be settled by arbitration? Obviously something is wrong with the industrial system. These things ought to work out automatically with justice to all. What is the remedy? I don't profess to know the answer. It may be prohibition; it may be single tax; it may be millennium. I am optimistic enough to believe we will not have to await the millennium before these things are set right. I believe some of us will live to see it. Things move rapidly nowadays. In the meantime let arbitration be applied wherever possible.

G. B. M.

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